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CON	NCERNING A SUBMISSIO	ON UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/542,899	
PCT/US	TIONAL APPLICATION NO. 04/01533	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 21 January 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 21 January 2003	
	INVENTION OD AND APPARATUS FOR APPL	LYING A FOAM LAYER		
DRESSE	NT(S) FOR DO/EO/US EL, David C. et al.			
Applicant	t herewith submits to the United Sta	ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EC	O/US) the following items and other information:	
1.	This is a FIRST submission of items con	onceming a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371	1.	
2.	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT se	submission of items concerning a submission	n under 35 U.S.C. 371.	
	This is an express request to begin natio (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.	ional examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 37	'1(f)). The submission must include items	
4.	The US has been elected (Article 31).			
5.	A copy of the International Application	n as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))		
	a. is attached hereto (required	f only if not communicated by the Internation	nal Bureau).	
	b. has been communicated by	the International Bureau.		
_	c. is not required, as the applic	cation was filed in the United States Receivi	ing Office (RO/US).	
6.		e International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	J. 371(c)(2)).	
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7.		ernational Application under PCT Article 19 (
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		ever, the time limit for making such amendm	nents has NOT expired.	
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8		ne amendments to the claims under PCT Art	icle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).	
9. L	An english language translation of the			
10	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary E.	xamination Report under PC1	
Items	s 11 to 20 below concern document(s)	•		
11.	An Information Disclosure Statement u			
12.	An assignment document for recording	ng. A separate cover sheet in compliance wit	th 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13.	A preliminary amendment.			
14. 📖	An Application Data Sheet under 37 C	CFR 1.76.		
15. 🖵	A substitute specification.			
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of	77.7		
17.	•	uence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 1	•	
18.		national Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(and the second	
19.	A second copy of the English language	ge translation of the international application	under 35.U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.414 and 1.491-1.492. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public, which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 15 minutes to complete, including gathering information, preparing, and submitting the completed form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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20. Other items or information:						
copy of Notification of Missing Requirements dated December 27, 2005 (2 p.); Supplemental Application Data Sheet (3 p.)						
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/20/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/20/2005.
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/20/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/20/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/20/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/20/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.



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